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In re Application of

Kevin D. Taylor

Application No. 10/765,609

: DECISION ON PETITION

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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed, December 12, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed April 19, 2006, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months from its mailing date. No extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) was obtained within the allowable period. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on July 20, 2006. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed October 27, 2006.

The amendment filed December 12, 2006, is noted.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center 3600, GAU 3632 for further processing.

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